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REGAL CATALOG

Society

Comet parties these early May mornings are quite the class. Intermittent alarm clocks have been waking the north side neighborhoods each morning at comet time for the past week and speak figures in various stages of dishevelment to be seen snoring around the upper galleries and on back porches having eastern exposures, the comet being the attraction. Valley's long tailed pet is now to be seen at its best as it hangs in the eastern sky just before sunrise.

A. B. Shindler, of El Paso, and Miss Pauline Roughton, of Fort Worth, were married at the Magnolia avenue Christian church in the latter city Tuesday, May 10. The groom is a well known El Paso grocer and the bride has visited El Paso several times, being well known here. They will make their home at the Maplewood in this city upon their return from a short honeymoon trip.

Misses Bessie Pigg, Frances Mayfield, Jennie Anderson, Ellie Pigg, Karma Deane and Messrs. Tom Mayfield, Ben Cowan, Jervis Deane and Lyle Hill were the members of a jolly party who went down last Saturday evening to attend the dance at Clint. They remained over until Monday as the guests of friends and enjoyed the day Sunday at a basket dinner given at the Alamo Grove ranch, the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Richardson.

J. D. Carr, a young jeweler of Memphis, Tenn., and his bride, are at the Zeiger on their honeymoon trip, which includes a tour through the leading cities of the south and Texas. After spending a few days here they will continue the trip through to the Pacific coast cities and return home through the northern states.

Mrs. Jennie E. Swain has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Nannie May, to Grothe Wilson Phillips. The wedding will take place on June 1.

On Monday Mrs. J. E. Schuller will entertain the Home Mission society and ladies of Trinity M. E. church in the parlors of the church from 3:30 to 6 p. m.

Mrs. A. Goodman, accompanied by her sons, Masters Karl and Leonard, will leave Monday for Pasadena, Cal., to be present at the graduation of her daughter, Miss Estelle, from Troop's Polytechnic institute, after which the family will join Mr. Goodman at Ocean Park for the summer.

Mrs. Kate Ruckman, of north Stanton street, has gone on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Hemley at Ft. Hancock, Texas.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY ON
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RAIL CONNECTION WITH CITY OF GUATEMALA

San Francisco Will Reach There Through El Paso in Short Time.

Direct communication by rail from New York and San Francisco to the City of Guatemala through El Paso is to be an accomplished fact in a very few months. Once rail connection is made with the Guatemala capital and the United States, an important link in the much talked of Pan-American railroad will be realized, and a great impetus given to that extension, through the Central American states to the isthmus of Panama, says the Los Angeles Examiner.

General manager A. D. Shepard of the Pacific Improvement company has returned to San Francisco from New York where he consulted with the company's president, Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard, and got authority from him to make arrangements for the extension of the Guatemala Central railroad system, which is owned by the company, north to the Mexican border, where it will form a connection with the Pan-American road.

Road sold for \$10,000,000. The gap is only about 20 miles long, and it will not take long to build the required piece of road. The filling in of this gap will complete a continuous rail line from Guatemala clear through Mexico and to all points in the United States. Transfers of freight and passengers will have to be made, however, at the Mexican border, because the road in Guatemala is a narrow gauge line.

The Pan-American road runs south to the border of Southern Mexico on the Tehuantepec road. The Pan-American was built by D. P. Debs of San Francisco and H. L. Lewis and J. M. Neeland of Los Angeles. They recently sold it to David Thompson and Paul Morton for \$10,000,000. Until recently Thompson was the American ambassador to Mexico.

The route from San Francisco by rail into Guatemala will be by way of the Southern Pacific to El Paso until the Southern Pacific completes its Guaymas and Guadalupe roads, which will connect at the latter place with the Mexican Central for the City of Mexico.

1100 Miles in Central America.

In this connection it can be said that once the Pacific Improvement company of San Francisco, which is owned by the Crocker, Stanford estate, Gen. E. T. Hubbard and Edwin F. Searles, completes the rail connection with the City of Guatemala, the question of making its main line to this city of standard gauge will become pressing.

A line 250 miles long crosses Salvador into Honduras. Several portions of the north and south trunk lines in Salvador have already been built. There will be 71 miles to cover in Honduras, and 299 miles in Nicaragua.

SCHUMACHER MAY SUCCEED MCCORMICK

Former Southwestern Man May Be Traffic Director of Harriman Lines.

New York, N. Y., May 14.—T. M. Schumacher, who was formerly the general traffic manager of the El Paso & Southwestern, may succeed E. O. McCormick, as assistant traffic director of the Harriman lines.

Mr. Schumacher, after leaving the Southwestern, accepted the third vice presidency of the Western Pacific, which he is said to have resigned to take the assistant traffic directorship of the Harriman system.

Schumacher was succeeded as traffic manager of the Southwestern by A. N. Brown, the then general passenger and freight agent, making an opening for a line of promotions.

RAILROAD NEARS FINISH: CONCHOS DAM PLANNED Chihuahua, Mexico, May 14.—S. Pearson & Son have the 17-mile broad gauge

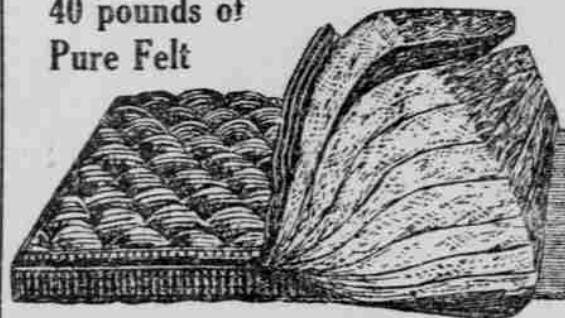
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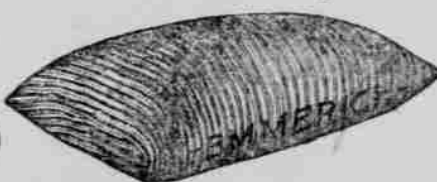
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From New Mexico.

At the Sheldon—B. P. Gonzales, Las Vegas; W. N. Flashbaugh, Las Vegas; J. J. Maculister, Las Cruces.

At the St. Regis—G. Wilson and wife, Las Cruces; T. A. Parker and wife, Tyrone; M. L. Stern, Albuquerque; H. M. Dougherty, Socorro; Mrs. Ada Oliver, Agricultural College; Elizabeth Oliver, Agricultural College.

At the Angelus—Miss Charles Stewart, Belen; Lucile Stewart, Belen; Mrs. S. M. Marrett, Belen.

At the Orndorff—R. G. Atkins, Roswell; George H. Givan, Alamogordo; J. L. Lawrence, Alamos.

At the Zeiger—Col. Fleming Jones and wife, Las Cruces; J. R. Lucero, Las Cruces; T. D. Archibald, Las Cruces; Robert Herrington, Columbus; A. A. Lane and wife, White Oaks; Miss Mamie Russell, White Oaks.

At the Grand Central—Charles Vesper, Newman; Charles G. Given, Silver City.

From Arizona.

At the Angelus—T. J. Kelly, Phoenix; William Hamman, Phoenix; W. G. Wright, Sacto; C. T. Wilson, Tucson.

At the Orndorff—W. A. Zalinski, Tucson.

From Texas.

At the Sheldon—Ben Smoke, San Antonio.

At the St. Regis—E. D. Patterson, Reno; W. G. Broadfoot, Ft. Worth.

At the Zeiger—W. D. Lander, Ysleta; M. M. Hinton, Dallas; Mrs. L. J. Hall and family, Van Horn; Miss Allen, Van Horn.

From Mexico.

At the Sheldon—J. N. Galibrath, Jr., Mexico City; A. J. Nagley and wife, Mexico City.

At the St. Regis—J. H. Uhle, Chihuahua; Alberto Medico, Chihuahua; Mrs. W. L. Rynderson, Pinar de Tera, Sonora; Miss Evelyn D. Moore, Pinar de Tera, Sonora; Robert Quilly, Ocampo, Chihuahua.

At the Orndorff—Alexander Bonthron, Dios Zesine, Chihuahua.

At the Grand Central—Augustin Ortiz and wife, Hermosillo; S. Schneider, Hermosillo; F. W. Putnam, Chihuahua; D. C. Aguilera, Chihuahua; Jesus Bales, Chihuahua.

From the Pacific Coast.

At the Sheldon—B. T. Baker, Los Angeles, Cal.; Howard Reynolds and wife, Los Angeles, Cal.; H. S. Stephens,

Los Angeles, Cal.; W. N. Peiser, San Francisco, Cal.; T. R. Thomas, Oakland, Cal.; W. H. Stanley, San Francisco, Cal.

At the St. Regis—M. M. Johnson and wife, Salt Lake City, Utah; A. B. Field, San Francisco, Cal.; Wallace E. O'Connor, San Francisco, Cal.; D. H. Pickard, Los Angeles, Cal.; Ernest E. Siler and family, Spokane, Wash.; H. R. Wood, Los Angeles, Cal.; A. W. Rutherford, Los Angeles, Cal.

At the Angelus—H. T. Appel, Los Angeles; R. O. Harvey, San Francisco; U. T. Hussey, Seattle, Wash.

At the Orndorff—Wallace Robertson, San Francisco; D. Goldbaum, San Francisco; C. E. Stuart, Los Angeles.

At the Grand Central—E. V. Young, San Francisco.

From New York.

At the Sheldon—Miss Eliza Torrey, H. Robinson, A. C. Pearson and wife.

At the St. Regis—R. T. Cornell, A. L. Small.

At the Orndorff—C. King and wife, P. T. Brown.

At the Zeiger—H. R. Fleming.

From Chicago.

At the Sheldon—Mark Burget, H. G. Remington.

At the St. Regis—A. P. Skadell, H. H. Swark, J. H. Kleese, D. H. Walt.

At the Angelus—E. W. Gutelius.

At the Orndorff—Edwin Davidson, Robert Fitzmann.

From Missouri.

At the Sheldon—Henry Leight, Kansas City; E. C. Tanna, St. Louis; John Perry, Kansas City; C. Way, St. Louis.

At the St. Regis—P. J. Gerhardt, St. Louis; Charles E. Bailey, St. Joseph; J. J. Gerhardt, St. Louis.

At the Orndorff—H. D. Knight, St. Louis; R. T. Dent, Kansas City.

At the Zeiger—J. W. Caudell, St. Joseph; J. P. Peters, Kansas City.

From Everywhere.

At the Sheldon—W. A. Ashleridge, Philadelphia, Pa.; T. R. McDonnell, New Orleans, La.; W. F. Webster, Cincinnati, O.; M. L. Browne, Philadelphia, Pa.

At the St. Regis—J. F. Kelly, Denver, Colo.; Louis Morris, Denver, Colo.; W. E. Meyers, Cleveland, O.; C. W. McDermid, Denver, Colo.; M. Katz, Philadelphia, Pa.; Walter Bradford, Boston, Mass.; S. E. Leonard, Denver, Colo.; C. C. Halter, Waynesburg, Pa.; J. D. Hamilton and wife, Denver, Colo.

At the Angelus—W. A. McGraw, Denver, Colo.

At the Orndorff—J. P. Ratcliff, Bos-

ton, Mass.; L. P. Powers, Montana; G. D. Fahrney, Milwaukee.

At the Zeiger—W. L. Arnold, Lewistown, Md.

At the Grand Central—Carmet Hubbard, Mt. Clemens, Mich.

CONCERT MONDAY BY FT. BLISS BAND

The Fort Bliss band will give the first of its concerts for next week, Monday, from 5:40 to 6:40 p. m. An invitation to attend is extended the general public by conductor Majewski. The program follows:

1. Two-step, Iola Johnson
2. Overture, Berlin in Joy and Sorrow Conrad
3. La Paloma Yradier
4. Selection, Seld Pasha Stahl
5. Invitation a la Valse Weber
6. Golden Rod McKinley

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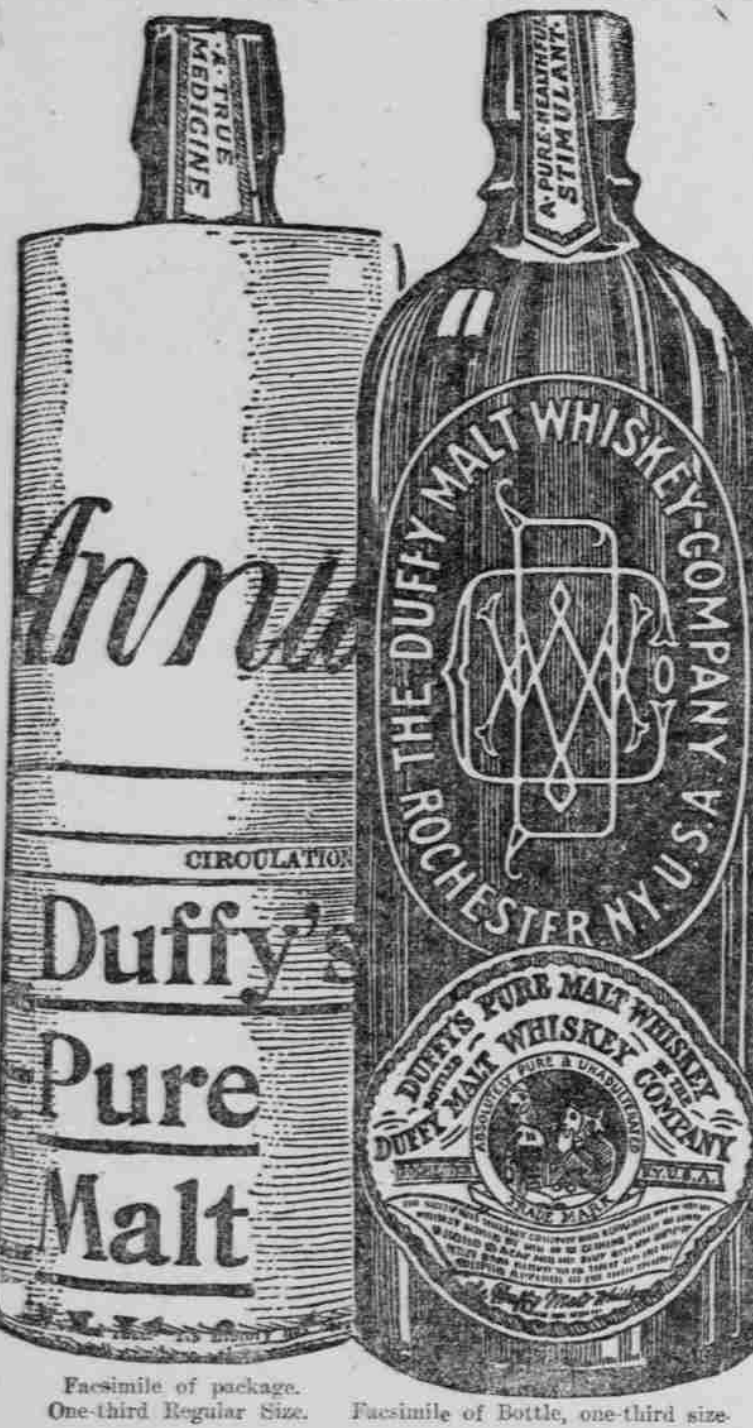
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